

IN THE SPECIFICATION

Please replace the paragraph beginning on page 4, line 22 and ending on page 4, line 29 with the following paragraph:

A1 In accordance with other aspects, the present invention relates to a method of transporting data from a sending host computer system to a receiving host computer system, wherein the data is stored on a volume of information, the data being stored on a plurality of LUNs. The method involves creating a point-in-time copy of a the volume, the volume having the data to be transported; generating a backup components document, wherein the document includes location information for the point-in-time copy data to be transported; importing the backup components document to the receiving host computer system; and accessing the point-in-time copy transported data using information in the backup components document.

Please replace the paragraph beginning on page 7, line 28 and ending on page 8, line 9 with the following paragraph:

A2 In essence, one of the host computer systems, such as system 102 requests the creation and/or transportation of one or more volumes of information. Once requested, another process within the same computer system, or potentially a process within another host computer system, determines which LUNs need to be copied and which portions of those LUNs need to be transported or surfaced on the receiving system, such as system 104. Using this information, the memory system 108 is instructed as to which LUN(s) to copy. Upon receiving the copies of the LUN(s), the necessary portions ~~of the~~ of the various LUN(s) are combined with reconstruction mapping information as well as any other information that the receiving system requires in order to use the copy of the volume. Once surfaced on the second computer system 104, system 104 can use the point-in-time copy to perform backups, query resolution or substantially any other function that requires a copy of a volume of information.